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In compliance with Applicant's duty of candor and good faith in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, § 1.97, and §1.98, Applicant files this Information Disclosure Statement and attached Form PTO-1449 listing references of which Applicant is aware. I certify pursuant to 37 C.F.R.§ 1.97e(1) that each item of information contained in the Information Disclosure Statement was cited in a communication from the PCT Patent Office in a counterpart application not more than three (3) months prior to the filing of this statement. Applicant is enclosing a copy of the search report.

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